

ASK INDEPENDENT COMMISSION TO ENFORCE LIQUOR ACT; ALSO SOME AMENDMENTS TO THE ACT

Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League Changes Name to That of Social Service League—Addresses Given by George P. Smith, M.P.P.; A. F. Ewing, M.P.P.; A. G. Browning, Deputy Attorney-General, and George B. O'Connor, K.C.

Definite assurance was given the Temperance and Moral Reform League conference yesterday afternoon by George P. Smith, M.P.A., for Chumero, that the newly-appointed police commission of the province would administer the liquor act according to instructions from the government, and he, therefore, thought it was unnecessary on the part of the convention to endorse a resolution asking the government for the placing of the act in the hands of an independent commission for enforcement.

However, the convention adopted a resolution to the effect that the government should take a number of other measures to enforce the liquor act, and that the government should take a number of other measures to enforce the liquor act, and that the government should take a number of other measures to enforce the liquor act.

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One of the important changes made in the constitution of the Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League to the Social Service League, there being no change, however, in the policy of the organization in any way.

Officers Elected.—President: A. V. McLeod, was unanimously re-elected to the position of president of the league, and was re-elected to the position of president of the league, and was re-elected to the position of president of the league.

Honorary presidents were as follows: T. H. Miller, Mrs. Nellie McChesney, T. H. Miller, Mrs. Nellie McChesney, T. H. Miller, Mrs. Nellie McChesney.

Executive Enlarged.—From an amendment to the constitution the executive committee was greatly enlarged to be composed of the twelve honorary vice-presidents, three vice-presidents, secretary and treasurer, presidents of the various branches, and one representative from each branch or other organization.

Resolutions Passed.—The following resolutions were unanimously adopted: Whereas the department of militia and defence has failed to prohibit the wet canteen in military camps, and whereas the greater portion of the Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League in convention assembled, to move for the prime minister and government to take action to prohibit the wet canteen in military camps.

PERCY HAGEL, criminal lawyer, was arrested in Edmonton today, as he appeared in court on a charge of receiving stolen goods. He will be taken to Regina and Crim. Inst. is Alberta has tonight.

CRIME, CRIMINALS AND MY PRISON EXPERIENCE A Lecture by Percy Hagel

Friday and Saturday Evenings Feb. 16 and 17, at 8:30

TO BE GIVEN IN ALBION HALL

TICKETS 50c—On Sale at Young & Kennedy's and Ash Bros.

SUCCESSFUL TEA AND CONCERT AT ST. PETER'S CHURCH

Affair was Handled by Committee of Ladies Representing Every Organisation

The parish tea and concert held at St. Peter's church last night was one of the most successful since the parish was formed. About 125 sat down to a splendid supper and thoroughly enjoyed the abundance of good things provided. The concert was really excellent and every number was well appreciated. The following took part in the program: Mrs. Strachan, Mrs. McCall, Mrs. Clifton, Mrs. McCall, Mrs. Alice Keese-Harris, Miss Lida Mills, Mr. Landhouse, and Master Ian Campbell. Mr. Bury, a former member of St. Peter's church, was the guest of honor. He was the first to address the assembly, emphasizing the need of each member of the congregation in doing a proper share in the development of a great unit.

The whole affair was organized by a committee of ladies, representing every organization in the parish. The concert was given by a group of young ladies, who gave a most excellent performance. The piano was supplied by a local artist, who gave a most excellent performance.

MUSIC'S PLACE IN CITY LIFE

Was Subject of Interesting Meeting of Edmonton Rotarians

A program of unusual excellence was presented at the meeting of the weekly luncheon of the Rotary club last night. The subject of the meeting was "Music's Place in City Life." The speaker, Mr. J. H. Johnson, of the University of Toronto, gave a most interesting and instructive address. He spoke of the importance of music in the life of a city, and of the need for a high standard of music in the city.

That we urge the government to place the administration of the liquor act in the hands of an independent commission to enforce the act, and to take a number of other measures to enforce the act, and to take a number of other measures to enforce the act.

PERSONAL

His Honor Judge Crawford is looking for a situation of the district court at Regina.

KING EDWARD PARK'S OPPOSED TO ANY SEPARATION FROM CITY

Ratifiers in Mass Meeting Declare it Would be Act of Injustice—May Utilities Were Promised to Appear and Make Explanation

The ratifiers of the King Edward Park district are up in arms against the proposal to cut off the outside of the park from the city. They declared that it would be an act of injustice to separate the park from the city, and that they would oppose any such proposal.

Small Owners' Complaint.—A. Wilton, a small property owner, the man with the small property, the man with the small property, the man with the small property.

Will Invite Mayor.—It was finally decided, on motion of Mr. Henry, to invite the mayor to the meeting, and to invite the mayor to the meeting, and to invite the mayor to the meeting.

CITY COUNCIL

Fred Root, an alien enemy, for failing to report and also to obtain a permit to travel, was sentenced to 30 days hard labor by Magistrate Menzies at the city police court on Thursday.

Katie Lepensky, convicted of illegally delivering liquor last month, was sentenced to 30 days hard labor by Magistrate Menzies at the city police court on Thursday.

A charge of false pretences brought against Charles Hopkins by the city police, was dismissed by the court on Thursday.

DEPARTURE OF REV. MR. LEWIS REGRETTED

Special Meeting of West Edmonton District Held on Thursday Afternoon

A special meeting of the ministerial and lay members of the Edmonton west district of the Methodist church was held in the Methodist church on Thursday afternoon to hear with respect of the approaching departure of their chairman, the Rev. W. Lewis. The Rev. W. Lewis, who has been in the past to examine his duties as pastor of the church in Edmonton, was the guest of honor.

With rain falling steadily for a couple of hours on Wednesday forenoon, indications of spring were evident yesterday, and recently to the unexpected change in weather conditions and the consequent excitement, especially understood.

BEGIN CAMPAIGN FOR MEMBERS

Poultry and Pet Stock Association Aims to Double Its Numbers—Hears Addresses

Two lectures of interest to poultry breeders were given in the hall of the Edmonton Poultry and Pet Stock Association last night. The first was by Mr. J. H. Johnson, of the University of Toronto, who gave a most interesting and instructive address.

PROMOTE SALE OF WAR CERTIFICATES

Joint Meeting Thursday Board of Trade, Canadian Club and Rotary Club

With the object of promoting the sale of war certificates, a joint meeting was held last night in the hall of the Edmonton Board of Trade, the Canadian Club and the Rotary Club.

AT THE CITY HALL

The city commissioners have appointed Superintendent Cronley, of the electric light and power department, to make a monthly inspection of the power plant to use and the machinery and appliances owned by the city.

2000 For Saturday

The "Movie Man" dashes from one selling stall to another with a rapidity that dazzles the public and the Douglas Co. alike. So without regard for profit, without consideration for cost, the "Movie Man" will distribute 2000 Grab Boxes Saturday for 50c a throw. Each and every box guaranteed to contain values in goods worth from \$1.00 to \$15.00.

This is the Movie Man's Great Surprise for Saturday--No Restrictions

The only request that you don't open the Grab Boxes in the store. Fountain Pens, De Luxe Boxes, Gift Books, Banjos, Art Books, Photographs. These are in the Grab Boxes. (False teeth, wooden legs and old shoes are barred.) Have your 50c ready. No restrictions. Buy as many as you want. No blanks.

EDMONTON BANK CLEARINGS.

Edmonton clearing house returns for the week show an increase of approximately one-half million, over the corresponding week of 1916. Figures show: 1917, \$2,549,732; 1916, \$1,747,712.

No Submarine Mail

According to the German papers, letters for delivery to foreign countries by submarine will not be accepted as presents. Letters which were intended to be sent to America by the submarine will not be accepted.

10032 Jasper and Bargain Annex

Everybody Gets A Prize Until Saturday A.M. at 9

COMMISSION WILL ENFORCE LIQUOR LAWS WITHOUT FEAR OR FAVOR, SAYS THE CHAIRMAN

Magistrate Pirnouse Addresses Temperance and Moral Reform Convention at Its Evening Meeting—Vigilance Committees to See to Law Enforcement Urged in Recommendation Turned Over to Sub Committee

The matter of a more strict enforcement of the Liquor Act was again before the Temperance and Moral Reform League convention in the evening session last night, when Magistrate Pirnouse, who was the chairman of the appointed provincial police commission, took the chair.

Referring to the splendid organization now being withdrawn from provincial law enforcement, the M.C.M.M. Police, the speaker said every tribute to their merits, and reminded his audience of an organization of this excellent character could not be expected to come from the force entering them.

PRINTING TRADES CHOOSE OFFICERS

J. A. Rutherford of the Bookbinders, Is Elected President For Present Year

The local Allied Printing Trades Council appointed the following officers for 1917 at their regular meeting on Thursday evening: President, J. A. Rutherford, bookbinders union.

OFFICERS ARE NAMED

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